

H.G. Johnson & Sons Building(W.H. Harrison Grocery)  
117 West Church Street  
Anderson  
Anderson County  
South Carolina

HABS NO. SC-628

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WRITTEN HISTORICAL AND DESCRIPTIVE DATA

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Atlanta, Georgia 30303

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ARCHITECTURAL DATA FORM

STATE South Carolina		COUNTY Anderson	TOWN OR VICINITY Anderson
HISTORIC NAME OF STRUCTURE (INCLUDE SOURCE FOR NAME) H.G. JOHNSON AND SONS BUILDING			HABS NO. SC-628
SECONDARY OR COMMON NAMES OF STRUCTURE W.H. Harrison Grocery; Carolina Lunch; Ideal Pawn Shop			
COMPLETE ADDRESS (DESCRIBE LOCATION FOR RURAL SITES) 117 West Church Street			
DATE OF CONSTRUCTION (INCLUDE SOURCE) 1912 Anderson City Directory		ARCHITECT(S) (INCLUDE SOURCE) Unknown	
SIGNIFICANCE (ARCHITECTURAL AND HISTORICAL, INCLUDE ORIGINAL USE OF STRUCTURE) Originally housed H.G. Johnson & Sons, a vehicle sales and repair shop until 1920. Was used as warehouse until '27 when W.H. Harrison Grocery moved in & stayed until '42. '45-60: furniture warehouse; '61 Carolina Lunch; '70-75: Ideal Pawn Shop; '85: Boarding house. Years not mentioned = vacant.			
STYLE (IF APPROPRIATE)			
MATERIAL OF CONSTRUCTION (INCLUDE STRUCTURAL SYSTEMS) Brick with wooden floor and ceiling.			
SHAPE AND DIMENSIONS OF STRUCTURE (SKETCHED FLOOR PLANS ON SEPARATE PAGES ARE ACCEPTABLE) Rectangular 5h' wide by 6h' long. First floor is divided into equal parts by wall lengthwise. Second floor has central room surrounded by hallway which opens into small rooms around perimeter.			
EXTERIOR FEATURES OF NOTE Ornamental brick parapet with arched windows and doorways on front with limestone keys and diamond-shaped ornaments.			
INTERIOR FEATURES OF NOTE (DESCRIBE FLOOR PLANS, IF NOT SKETCHED) None. Open first floor divided in equal parts by wall running length of building.			
MAJOR ALTERATIONS AND ADDITIONS WITH DATES None			
PRESENT CONDITION AND USE Abandoned. Does not meet present building code requirements.			
OTHER INFORMATION AS APPROPRIATE			
SOURCES OF INFORMATION (INCLUDING LISTING ON NATIONAL REGISTER, STATE REGISTERS, ETC.) Anderson City Directory			
COMPILER, AFFILIATION			DATE